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Application No. : 10/644,485

Examiner : Octavia L. Davis

Applicant : Peter J. Skalhunes

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Title : Thread Breakage Detection Systems And Methods

Mail Stop RCE
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF IMPROPER
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Sir:

Applicant submits this response in reply to a final Office Action mailed on June 21, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims – begin on page 2.

Remarks – begin on page 10.